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## An Advertisement About The Corpus Christi National Bank

The Corpus Christi National Bank entered upon its 27th year of business with a Capital and Banked Surplus of \$100,000. The Corpus Christi National Bank has a strong Board of Directors who actually direct the business of the Bank. As a matter of information the press executives, and the public in general we desire to say that in addition to the semi-annual examinations of the Bank made by the U. S. Bank Examiner, the Bank has a special committee composed of 5 Directors who make regular examinations of the affairs of the Bank. This committee has just completed a one day examination of the Bank's affairs and presented a favorable report to the Bank's Directors. In fact, every possible safeguard is afforded our customers. We invite you to start the New Year by placing your bank account with us.

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## TRIAL OF SLAYERS OF G. J. LEVYTANSKY IS BEGUN

### CRIME OCCURRED LAST DECEMBER

SELF-CONFESSED MURDERERS  
REPRESENTED

### FORTY EIGHT WITNESSES

From Special Venue of One Hundred  
But One Juror Is Selected  
Jury a Problem.

(Continued Special)  
LAKEPORT, Calif., Jan. 11.—The case of Lemuel Frank and J. H. Compton, the self-confessed murderers of G. J. Levytansky, was called to the district court this morning. The men were represented by counsel and entered plea of guilty.

The names of forty-eight witnesses were called and all answered. The work of picking a jury from a special venue of a hundred men began and was exhausted by 11 o'clock, only one man, R. Burman being excused, whereupon another count of one hundred men were ordered summoned and the court took a recess until 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The entire room, corridors, halls and balconies were filled with men and women during the examination of jurors. Compton and Frank were brought into the court room together, but neither had a word to say and did not look at each other when they met in the jail corridor for the first time since the morning following the murder.

It now seems that the securing of a jury will be a problem of difficult solution. The case was not served in due time as was expected. Frank, being represented by T. C. Morris and Compton by E. A. Allee and Adair Smith, those attorneys being appointed by the court, and they are making a hard fight for their clients.

The prosecution is represented by District Attorney Valla and John W. Danziger.

### OBJECT TO FIGHT

Nevada May Take Steps to Prevent  
Johnson-Flynn Mill.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 11.—Opposition to the scheduling of the big Johnson-Flynn fight on Nevada soil has sprung up with alacrity since the announcement was made that the mill would be staged at Winslow. Winslow is on the edge line and it is understood that the promoters intend to build the arena on the Nevada side. The trouble-makers take the position that the state of Nevada will have to shoulder all the blame for the big bout if there is to be any blame coming and that Salt Lake City will get all the profits if there are to be any profits.

BENSON, Okla., reported 18 below zero and Fort Worth reported 14 above, while Corpus Christi reported 14.

Rancho Antonio was warmest above.

## KANSAS IN GRIP OF COLD WAVE

SOUTHERN MISSOURI AND OKLAHOMA ALSO AFFECTED.

Union Pacific Abandons All Trains  
West of Topeka—Much  
Suffering.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 11.—With the temperature the lowest of this winter, snow, tailing and a forty-mile wind blowing from the north west Kansas and Southern Missouri and Northern Oklahoma suffered today. Trains to all directions were from two to twenty-four hours late. At 8 o'clock tonight the mercury was 10 below freezing here.

The Kansas State University at Lawrence closed today because of a shortage of coal. Topeka reported the Santa Fe and Rock Island had both stopped trains at the terminals.

The Union Pacific abandoned all trains west of Topeka. The state of Texas has been much delayed with appeals for help from towns without supplies.

Man and Englewood are out of coal and are resorting almost of proclamations. Senoia City is also suffering.

At Beaver, Okla., forty dollars a ton is being asked for coal.

The temperature there is 18 below zero.

The county office was closed and coal is being distributed among the poor.

### 22 Below Zero.

(By The Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 11.—A renewal of the cold wave descended on the central states tonight. In the middle west and northwest the mercury level stood from zero to 2 below at Bismarck, N. D., at nine o'clock tonight.

### Cold in Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 11.—The most severe northern of the winter swept down on Texas and Oklahoma today. By nightfall the drop was the most radical of the season. Zero and below is reported from several points. Amarillo in the Panhandle, reported two below zero at 7 o'clock tonight. Thirteen to 18 below is predicted for tomorrow morning.

Benton, Okla., reported 18 below zero and Fort Worth reported 14 above, while Corpus Christi reported 14.

Rancho Antonio was warmest above.

## UNCERTAIN AS TO NEW FRENCH PREMIER

President Fallieres Has Offered Post to Leon Bourgeois.

(By The Associated Press)  
PARIS, Jan. 11.—President Fallieres has decided to offer the premiership to Leon Bourgeois tomorrow, but Bourgeois undoubtedly will decline because of ill health.

Bourgeois, a senator, is a former premier and held several cabinet positions. Others mentioned who are most likely to receive a call to the premiership are former Premier Briand, M. Doumergue, a former cabinet member and Raymond Poincaré, who has held numerous ministerial positions.

The present situation was occasioned by a split in the cabinet and its resignation yesterday, has excited intense interest.

The general trend of opinion is that there must be more united action in parliament if the government hopes to carry out its policies.

### THREE BABIES BORN ON SUCCESSIVE DAYS

CHETENNE, Wyo., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Herman Carlson gave birth to one baby each day for three successive days. The third youngster, a girl, was born today. The other two are boys. All the babies apparently are healthy.

### BURNS RELEASED.

(By The Associated Press)  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 11.—Complimented by the federal grand jury for having "rendered a great service to his country," Wm. J. Burns, the detective today was released from the charge of having kidnapped Jim J. McNamara, the convicted dynamiter. The charges were held null and void. Joe Healy, another detective, who was under bond on a similar charge will also be released. Federal Judge Anderson indicated, if a petition is presented.

About one dozen witnesses were heard today by the grand jury, which is investigating the alleged country-wide dynamite conspiracy.

## SENATOR LORIMER ON STAND IN HIS OWN BEHALF

### PACKERS' BOOKS ARE MISSING

### RECORDS SHOWING DATA OF PREVIOUS TRIAL MISSING.

Three Accountants Employed by the  
Packers Testify of inability to  
Locate Books.

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 11.—Books and records showing items and allowances used in figuring the cost of the meat of fresh meats which were inspected by the federal judge who investigated the charges of robbing against the packers in 1899, cannot now be found by employees for the defense who are on trial before Federal Judge Carpenter, on a charge of conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Three expert accountants employed by the packers testified today that they had searched for the records in question, but that they were unable to find them. It was said that the documents had been destroyed.

The witnesses were asked to bring the price ledgers and other books bearing on the manufacture and sale of fresh meat in court tomorrow, but it is expected that the attorneys for the defense will make a determined effort to prevent them from going into the record.

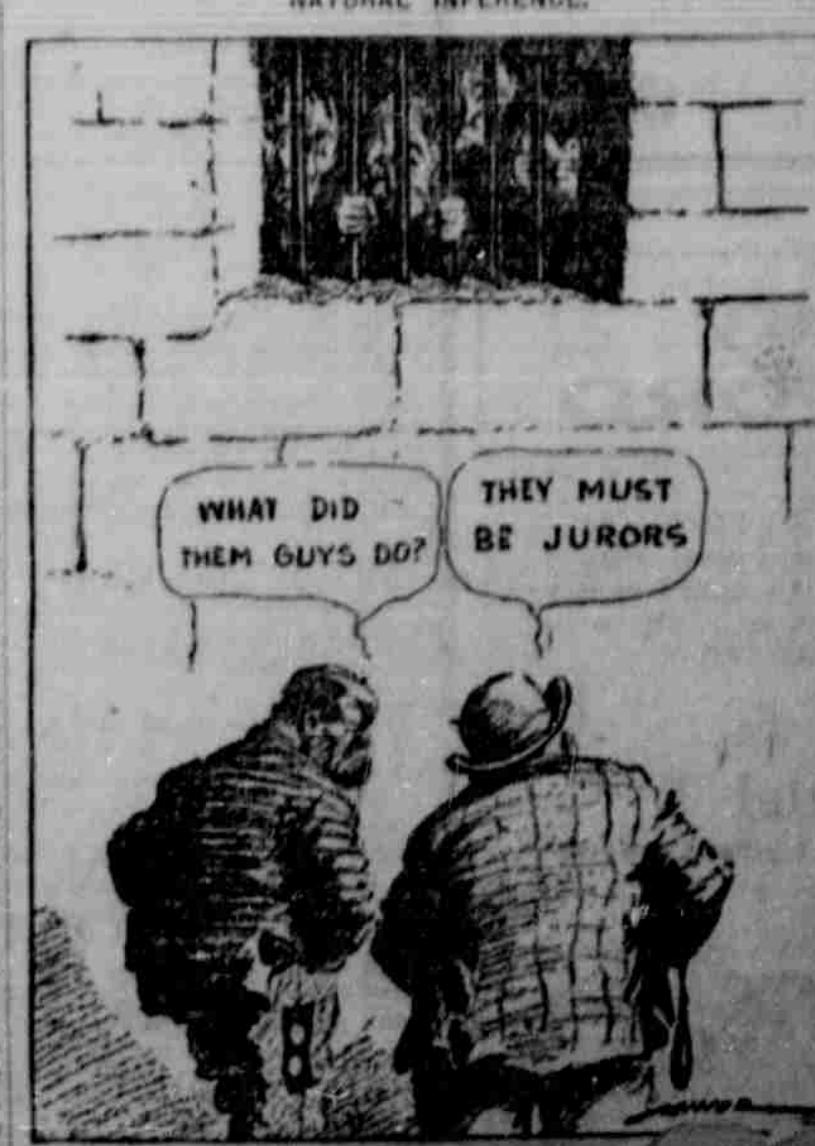
The witnesses examined today were unable to shed much light on the method used in figuring the cost of slaughtering animals, a question that the government was very anxious to ascertain.

### DR. SOPHIAN'S PLANS.

He Will Respond to Invitation From  
Waco If Possible.

WACO, Tex., Jan. 11.—A telephone message was this morning received by City Health Officer H. P. Minnoch from Dr. Alpheus Sophia of New York, who is now in Dallas in connection with the meningitis relief work, stating that he might not be able to come to Waco to deliver a lecture to the public on how best to avoid meningitis, but that he would come in about ten days if possible. A good many here claim that the disease is contracted more from exposure to cold and damp than from contact, and a strong support of this is the increase in cases yesterday following the intensely cold weather Sunday.

### NATURAL INFERENCE.



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### TELLS STORY OF EARLY CAREER

SUPPORTER OF JAMES G. BLAINE  
FOR PRESIDENT.

### CHARGED WITH THEFT

By Chicago Newspaper But When  
Exonerated Papers Printed  
But Four Lines.

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.—Senator Lorimer of Illinois, whose seat in the senate is being sought to be vacated, told the story today of his early life & politics in the senate investigating committee and talked of his differences with publishers of Chicago newspapers.

The opposition of H. H. Kohlau to him began at the Minneapolis National Republican convention that nominated James G. Blaine for president, he stated.

Lorimer said that he was working for Blaine's nomination when Kohlau sent word that he could vote for Blaine, but that he (Lorimer) most quit working for him or that he would be forced out of public life. Lorimer stated to the committee that he had never talked with Kohlau in all his life.

After the convention, according to Lorimer, a newspaper story came out saying that he had stolen \$200,000 from the Chicago waterworks department. He was exonerated but the paper only printed four lines to that effect.

Regarding his differences with the late Joseph Medill, owner of the Chicago Tribune, Lorimer stated that his differences began when Medill was a candidate for the United States senate. He said the Tribune had supported him once, but at the time had said that Lorimer was unfit for the office, but that it was no time for the Republicans to quarrel and that Lorimer had better be elected than any of the other candidates.

The time of the committee today was largely taken with the testimony of Lorimer, and in reading newspaper accounts regarding the political happenings at Springfield in 1899.

### CARNEGIE ADMITS HE RECOMMENDED KNOX

Secretary Knox Was Appointed by  
McKinley.

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.—Andrew Carnegie, when pressed hard today by the members of the house steel investigating committee, admitted he had recommended the appointment of Philander C. Knox, the present secretary of state as attorney general in President McKinley's cabinet in 1901. Knox having been one of the chief counsellors for the Carnegie steel company since 1890, when the Sherman anti-trust law was passed.

Carnegie repeatedly declared he never knew of participation by his company in the steel plate pool and other like pools that were unlawful and Representative McGillicuddy of Maine sought to show that he recommended the appointment of Knox to McKinley soon after the former, as counsel for his company, had left him in ignorance of the government statistics.

Carnegie also told the committee he believed no protective tariff would be necessary on steel rails or steel and government regulation, which he recommended, bordered dangerously on socialism. He said socialism had no terror for him. He declined the distribution of wealth. Then he spoke of a few to many is increasing yearly.

Knox is blamed.  
(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.—Secretary of State Knox  
on the insistence